FORAN, WILLIAM =Secretary, Civil Service Commission of Canada= 1918-1919 (036)

December 11th, 1918

William Foran, Esq.,

Civil Service Commission,

Ottawa.

Dear Sir:

I have known Mr. Theodore Boss for many years. He always was an able student and a man of good executive ability with a large amount of originality. From anything that I have heard of his work in recent years I should judge that he would be well fitted for the work for which he is applying.

Yours sincerely,

President.

March 13th, 1919

H. H. Foran, Esq.,
Secretary, Civil Service Commission,
Ottawa, Ont.

My dear Sir:

I have received your communication asking for information with respect to the experience and qualifications of Mr. G. R. Ballard for the position of Superintendent of Penitentiaries. Mr. Ballard is a graduate of the University of Toronto of some years' standing. I have known him now for a long time and I believe that so far as education is concerned he is thoroughly equipped for the position for which he is applying. Mr. Ballard is a gentleman who has had wide experience, and from what I know of him I should judge that he has the attainments and character for this position.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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April 11th, 1919

Gilliam Foran, Esq.,

Secretary, Civil Service Commission of Canada,

Ottawa.

My dear Sir:

It gives me great pleasure to send you my opinion in regard to the qualifications of Miss M. E. Currie who is applying to you for an assistantship in the field laboratory in the Department of Horticulture. Miss Currie is a graduate of McGill University, and has been pursuing postgraduate work in the Department of Botany of the University of Toronto for the past three years but is likely to receive her doctor's degree very shortly. Miss Currie has been an excellent student and may be relied upon in every way. She is a person of the highest character and is interested by the professors along social service and a marked degree of capacity in that work. I do not believe that there will be few who have better qualifications for such a position than Miss Currie.

Yours sincerely,

President.